



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kevin Kwong-Tai CHUNG

Appl. Serial No. 09/915,122

Filed: July 25, 2001

For: CARRIER TAPE

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: Art Unit: 3634
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: Examiner: Khoa Tran
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This Response to Office Action is submitted in response to the Office Letter mailed December 30, 2003 in the above-captioned Application for which the three-month shortened statutory period for response expired on March 30, 2004.

Time Extension:

This response is filed within the first month after the end of the shortened statutory period and payment of the \$55.00 fee for a one-month extension is provided herein below.

Telephone Interview:

Examiner Khoa Tran is thanked for extending the courtesy of an informal Telephone Interview on April 7, 2003. Claims 1, 10, 20, 30 and 35 are amended as proposed in the Interview. The Kreckel et al, Delgado et al, Plamthottam '191 and Wehr references were discussed. The arguments made in the interview are included in the Remarks herein.

Amendment:

Please amend the captioned Application as follows:



FEE TRANSMITTAL

Complete if known

Application Number: 09/915,122

Filing Date: July 25, 2001

First Named Inventor: Kevin Kwong-Tai CHUNG

Group Art Unit: 3634

Examiner Name: Khoa Tran

Total Amt. of Payment: (1)+(2)+(3)= \$55

Attorney Docket Number: AI-TECH-23

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FEE CALCULATION

1. FILING FEE

Fee Description

Utility filing fee

Design filing fee

Plant filing fee

Reissue filing fee

Provisional filing fee

Fee

SUBTOTAL (1) \$0

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

ADDITIONAL FEES

Fee Description

Fee Paid

Surcharge-late filing fee or oath

Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet

Extension for response within first month

\$55

Extension for response within second month

Extension for response within third month

Extension for response within fourth month

Notice of Appeal

Filing a brief in support of an appeal

Request for oral hearing

Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application

Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application

Issue fee

Petitions to the Commissioner

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Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt.

Recording each patent assignment per property

Other fee (specify) Advance Order (10 copies)

Other fee (specify)

SUBTOTAL (3) \$55

2. Claims

		Paid		Extr		Fee
Total Claims	36	-36	=	0	x 9	= 0
Independent Claims	5	-5	=	0	x 42	= 0
Multiple Dependent (First presentation)						

SUBTOTAL (2) \$0

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